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WOTHING BUT BUSINESS." The genius of American commercialman's existence were the sweating out value. One is a consistent effort to

stave by a man. It sticks out AND OTHER NEEDED LEGISLATION.

that is best and strongest and most sidering. effective in them to the making of terse words, proudly fondles it sternforeigner once remarked that the mis-"motto" which so loudly and so complacently advertises the least lovely trait in our national character.

FOREIGN TRADE FOR SOUTHERN

PORTS. The president of the Southern Railfice an interesting letter dealing with primary, confined to the two leading the question of developing export candidates in the first trial of strength. trade between the Southern States and This is a knotty point, with somethe Latin-American countries. The thing to be said on both sides, but letter, which is rather too long to we believe that his position is entirely publish, is full of point and sense and meat, but it must be confessed that the job that it undertakes to tackle is a mighty formidable one. There are two very big bridges to cross. One is the building up regular steamship lines, which Mr. Finley properly describes as a question "of supreme importance." Unfortunately, because of conditions of the tariff, of foreign irade and of wages, this is also a matical that at ports far busier than those of the South, shipping interests have never found any favor outside of the South. Plurality elections were once objected to. They are those were received as matters of course, and there is no reason why a nomination, the body of the body of the bound in turn or winter. publish, is full of point and sense and sound. It is a fact that second pri-

sufficient traffic to warrant any im- liveliest issues now before the State. goods, a stante in which the South is perience and abilities, to grapple with Daily with Sunday...... 14 cents losing the South American market, the without Sunday...... 10 cents Englishmen have been taking it over. 380,205 worth from Great Britain, and

We sympathize in the heartlest sort efforts. At the same time we must agreeably expressed than in this little direction look rather forlorn just now.

It is one part of rican ports which enter our Southern started, more ambitious undertakings

In this morning's Times-Dispatch familiar, the Speaker touches on very weight of public sentiment, behind each one of them will insure its re-But Business" sign down- ceiving proper attention from our lawmakers.

than his friendships or his chances for outlines of our needed primary law. the hall-mark of success is the bank- expenditures at the public charge, account, that men were put into the nothing is said. The first of these points, at least, is well worth con-

Speaker Byrd is in doubt as to money, that the riddle of the universe whether the use of the primary should is answered by the dollar sign? No be left optional with the various parphilosopher outside of the financial ties or made compulsory upon all of pages ever worked out that formula, them. In our judgment, it should be America's single-minded passion for made compulsory, Without exception, money-getting has long marked her we believe, all the States which have unhappily among nations. This desk- experimented longest with the new card blurts out that passion in three system and advanced farthest in its management have made its use mandaly slaps it across the eyes of the un- tory. Moreover, the only theory or offending visitor. A sharp-tongued which the State can properly defray the cost of the primary is the belief sion of America was to vulgarize the that, as compared with the convention He might well claim tangible system, it improves general political proof for his epigram in an odious conditions in the interest of the whole community. That belief leads irresistibly to the conclusion that all parties must nominate by the better system, whether they desire to do so

Mr. Byrd is satisfied to take the risk of occasional plurality nominaway, W. W. Finley, sends to this of- tions and sees no occasion for a second

linked with this one, is the getting of which the legalization of the primary at work upon it. Few men in the State are so competent, through ex-In It successfully.

REVOLUTIONIZING CONTEMPT RULINGS.

erally moves by accumulated precedent gathered line upon line, precept upon

But in the judgment passed on Monlynchers the court took a long step beyond any of its previous rulings. For

most, the jurisdiction of the Federal courts in contempt proceedings has not extended, where no order was vio-

been called upon to pass penal sentence on an accused man. In thousands of cases cited upon appeal, the court has said the final word that put ownership of millions. But never be-The heaviest burden of the law has been spared to those whose decisions

and the customs-house fraud cases striking deeper and deeper, we are likely to see some pretty lawing befors we are many years more aged.

The Standard Oll Company declared another dividend the other day. Hem! We're rather troubled with the boll weevil down this way, Mr. Rockefeller.

Every sheriff in America is thinking of the Supreme Court with enhanced respect this morning.

Let the billion dollar copper trust come on. All we ask is that it will leave the quarters and halves to us.

Borrowed Jingles

A HARD WORKING VERB.
The family physician "declares" you are

Pop declares your advent has prostrated him with joy.

Bis declares that you have nails upon your,
thy toes,
And Aunt declares you've got the old man's
chin and mamma's nose.

In course of time you do declare your leve for Mary Jane.

The pricet declares that you are one and are no longer twain.

As Fate will have it, you declare in time you never saw

An individual declare to beat your mether-

rather than by sudden decisions. Its neivility, to make the ground just yast store of judicial lore has been incompatibility. incompatibility.

The court declares the referee's report deth truly say.

And the clerk declares the papers have been sealed and filed away.

black-robed justices decide a case without unearthing lengthy decisions and
learned opinions from their basement
library to verify and approve their
every syllablo.

A brief oblivary note declares you lived and died, Declares you rult for sheriff, and little cise beside; this reason, and leaving out of account The stone that is erected within a year or

MERELY JOKING.

Landlady: "Whenever you want a hot bath, sir, just let me know, and I'll see you have it."—Exchange.

Wife: "You were late last night."
Hub: "Beg pardon, my dear. As I came
in the front door the clock struck II."
Wife: "But what time did us arrive
at the head of the stairs?" Hosten Tranacript.

"Good gracious; Where is this heavy shower coming from? The sky is quite clear."
"It's nothing. I'm just having my park syringed by balloon, that's all."-Meggen-derfer Bintter.

"Tell me about your sarly struggles, grandpa."
"Son, I never had no struggles worth mentioning, Early in life I managed to snag out a gentleman's agreement and a few reliable rebates."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"A play," remarked the theatrical manager, "Is like a cigar."
"What's the answer?" inquired the innocent reporter.

The United States bought \$1,000,000 worth of asbestos last year. We presume the government used it for paper on which to print Joe Cannon's speeches.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

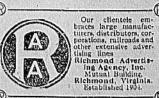
We have only one ex-President, and the country is not taxing itself to know what to do with him. He attends to that him-self.—Los Angeles Times.

Mr. Tatt bewails the limitations which have been set about the authority of the President. It was not noticed that his predecessor was hampered by these I'mitations.—Hochester Herald.

ELECTION WARNINGS.

the whole country regards the result as a rebuke to the standpatters. It will be remembered that President Taft, in his Boston speech, set the seal of his approval on the Aldrich bill. Yet this failed to stem the tide of popular dissatisfaction. But the opposition to the tariff law in Massachusetts is quite tame and peaceful compared to the opposition in the West, where it has been repudlated by the people of nearly a dozen States, and where the popular demand for an honest revision downward has assumed the proposition of a political revolt.

It may be that some of the Republican politicians in Congress are unable to appreciate the strength of the opposition to the tariff in the West, but it has been accurately measured by the Republican newspapers, and if the truth were known the Ohlo State Journal sees defeat staring its party in the face. The Journal, however, is not the only Republican paper that has ascertained that the people are determined not to be robbed any longer.—New Orleans States.



PRUSSIA MAKES NO MESALLIANCES

Only Three Princesses Have in 200 Years Married Outside Their Rank,

STAND BEFORE ROYALTY

sport deth continuings of Those Whom Royalty Receives.

By LA KIRQUISE DE FONTENOY.

Seth has a deciseed with the princesses of which, from mesalilance of the form mesalilanc nation at Berlin, and resulted in her estrangement with Emperor William and his Empress, which lasted for a number of years. Queen Marie of Bavaria's conversion to the Church of Rome, long after the death of her husband, also caused much bad blood at Berlin, and her estrangement from the late Emperor William and her Prussian relatives. She was the mother of the present King, With regard to old Emperor William's sister, she, of course, was forced to join the Orthodox Greek rite on her marriage to Czar Nicholas; but the union, despite all that has been said to the contrary, was a very unhappy one, as the Empress became more or less of an invalid in conse-

Let the billion dollar copper trust come on. All we ask is that it will leave the quarters and halves to us.

Why always a suicide "pact"? The phrase grows wearlsome. Why not have an impact for once?

Wassnehusetts Vote Indicates Unpopularity of Tariff in New England.

The Ohio State Journal is a stalwart sepublican newspaper, but it is unable to approve the Aldrich tariff bill, and realizing that the main issue in the recent election in Massachusetts with the recent election, it says that the trust positive torture to which why always a suicide "pact"? The phrase grows warsionnes will be read and dispersion of the parallegist that the main lisus in the resent decition in Massachusetts in

Titalians Hate Austria.

Emperor Nicholas's recent visit to Victor Emmanusi at Racconigi and the consequent rapprochement of Russia and Italy are leading to a renewal of the manifestations of the bitter animosity which has provalide for nearly a hundred years between the Halians and the Austrians. What is thoroughing understood, allke in Austria and in Italy, is that this rapprochement, no matter whether offensive or defensive, is almed against Austria. At Rome is almed against Austria. At Rome people, always quick to reflect public sentiment, have resumed an old and queer way of showing their hatred of Austria. Funerals among the lower classes is Italians are always made an occasion for disvilay, and any society with which the deceased may have been directly or indirectly connected usually turns out in force. Every funeral at Rome among the

Daily Queries and Answers

Address all communications for this column to Query Editor, Times-Dispatch. No mathematical problems will be solved, no coins or stamps valued and no dealers' names will be given,

Baseball and Football Fatalities,

Kindly inform me whether during 1908 a greater number of fatalities occurred in baseball or football, and what ware the figures? A READER,

The figures have not yet been compiled. It is probable, however, that a greater number of fatalities occurred in baseball than in football. The percentage of fatalities in baseball was, nevertheless, very much below that in football, owing to the fact that perhaps five times as many were engaged in the former as in the latter sport.

The Salvation Army.

Kindly answer in your Query Column the following questions:

Nell Mowry's famous ride was we know, it did not result in any ill effects to the rider.

been sald to the contrary, was unhappy one, as the Empress became more or less of an invalid in consequence of the shock to which she had been subjected while on the eve of motherhood by the insurrection at St. Petersburg which signalized her husband's accession to the throne.

Bellower "Dirt Mover."

Please tell me where I can get the motherhood by the insurrection at St. A letter addressed to the circulation of the Dirt Mover. Columband's accession to the throne.

Theological Student.

I see from your answers in the Query Column that you sometimes give advice to these who are seeking a profession in life. Will you please tell me what you think I should do under the following circumstances: I have been raised in the country, and am 19 years old. I have had some experience in public speaking and have concluded a course in the local school. I am very anxious to enter the ministry. How should I go about it?

The ministry is a high calling, in which there is need for trained men, but in which untrained men are more of a drawback than a benefit. If you wish to enter the ministry, your first.

Bosse nopple in the Figural City near the Western State of the course to the colors of Wellesley College?

Rose and gray for Vassar; deep blue for Wellesley.

A Birth Date.

I was born on September 23, 1392. Please tell me what day of the week was it.

Friday.

State Editors on the Abolition of Football

Japanese National Exposition.

I have heard considerable talk of a national exposition to be held in Japan. Where will it be held and when?

A CONSTANT READER.

The exposition was planned to be held in Tokio during the year 1912, but, owing to the world-wide financial disturbances during 1907, it was decided to postpone the exposition until 1917. That year will be the fittieth anniversary of the accession of the present Emperor.

Maude Adams Again.
Will you please tell me where Maude Adams was born and in what year? What is her real name? H. L. Danville, Va.
She was born in Salt Lake City, Utah, in 1872. Her real name is Maude Kiskadden.

Robespierre's Birthplace.
What town did Robespierre, the loader in the French Revolution, come from?
Arras, in Northern France.

present rules, the death of some player seems a necessary climax. That has not always been the case. In the carty stages, before the playing became so strenuous, the personal damage did not exceed a few sprains and a bumping of heads. It does seem that a simplification of the game could be effected. Indeed, it must be, otherwise it will be necessary to abolish it. The people of this country will not tolerate a continuance of the annual death list which the game now furnishes. It is too brutalizing, and as such it should be discouraged. The chances in favor of death or serious injury are as great or greater than that afforded by bull-fighting.—Roanoke Times.

Such Risks Should Not Be Tolerated.

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